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Annual Reports

of the Town Officers

of

Mason, N. H.

for the year ending

January 31

1933



ANNUAL REPORT

of the

Selectmen and Treasurer

of the

Town of Mason

together with the reports of

Road Agents, School Board and Other

Officers of the Town and

School District

for the

Financial Year Ending January 31, 1933

also

VITAL STATISTICS

for the Year Ending

December 31

1932

Town Officers

Moderator

JOHN T. SMITH

Clerk and Treasurer

EVERETT H. WHITAKER

Selectmen

STANLEY A. FLAGG

PAUL R. BERRY

ALBERT C. WHITAKER

Tax Collector

CONRAY G. WHARFF

Auditor

DWIGHT L. DIMOCK

Highway Agents

GUY F. WASHBURN

CARL V. VALYOU

HAROLD C. MILLER

Supervisors of Checklist

SAMUEL H. DAVIS

CHARLES L. BARNES

HAROLD C. MILLER

Election Officers

DELMORE P. NOBLE

ALBERT B. EATON

Ballot Clerks

CARL V. VALYOU

GUY F. WASHBURN

WALLACE M. RHODES

DWIGHT DIMOCK

Library Trustees

ALICE S. BERRY

MYRTIE B. ADAMS

HARRIET E. WHITAKER

Trustees of Cemeteries

ALFRED L. ELLIOTT GUY F. WASHBURN
CONRAY G. WHARFF

Trustees of Boynton Common School Fund

MYRTIE B. ADAMS GEORGE C. GERMER
CONRAY G. WHARFF EVERETT H. WHITAKER
ALEXANDER McLEAN

Trustees of Stearns Common School Bequest

ALBERT B. EATON JOHN T. SMITH
CHARLES L. BARNES

Constable

STANLEY A. FLAGG

Health Officer

CONRAY G. WHARFF

Police

GUY F. WASHBURN CHARLES E. EMERSON

Librarian

DORIS M. FLAGG

Fire Wardens

CHARLES L. BARNES STANLEY A. FLAGG
JOHN T. SMITH FRED L. BROWN
JAMES BELL

Janitor

CARL V. VALYOU

Sexton

WINFRED WHITAKER

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

*To the Inhabitants of the Town of Mason, in the County of
Hillsborough, in said State, qualified to vote in
Town Affairs:*

You are notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Mason on Tuesday, the fourteenth day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriation of the same.
3. To choose one trustee of the Boynton Common School Fund for five years.
4. To choose three trustees of the Stearns Common School Bequest for one, two and three years respectively.
5. To choose three trustees of the cemeteries for one, two and three years respectively.
6. To choose one trustee of the Mason Public Library for three years.
7. To see what action the town desires to take on the "Rules for Town Meeting" adopted at the last March Meeting.
8. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for repairs of highways and bridges.

9. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for library purposes.

10. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for care of cemeteries.

11. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for Memorial purposes.

12. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

13. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 for White Pine Blister Rust control to be spent in cooperation with the State Forestry Department.

14. To see if the town will vote to make any discount on taxes if paid on or before June 15, 1933.

15. To see if the town will raise and appropriate \$125.00 for street lighting.

16. To see if the town will vote to accept from Myrtle E. (Sawtelle) Wright the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) the income to be used for perpetual care of the cemetery lot of Marcia O. Hodgeman.

17. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to administer or dispose of any real estate acquired by the town through Tax Collector's deeds.

18. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Town Treasurer to pay all individual bills and to see if the town will vote to raise the salary of the Treasurer in accordance with the extra labor thereby incurred.

19. To see if the town will vote to put up gates or bars at any of the following roads:

(1.) The road from McLean's to Creighton's.

(2.) The road from the Russell shop to Heald place.

- (3.) The road from Valyou's to the railroad.
- (4.) The road from Pretty Brook to the Plain road.
- (5.) The road from Mitchell place to Hammond Elliott place.
- (6.) The road from Mitchell place to Boynton place.
- (7.) The road from Merriam place to the foot of Barrett Hill.

20. To hear reports of agents, auditors, committees and officers heretofore chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.

Given under our hands and seal, this twenty-eighth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirty-three.

ALBERT C. WHITAKER
PAUL R. BERRY
STANLEY A. FLAGG

Selectmen of Mason

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF
ESTIMATES OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE ENSUING YEAR
AND EXPENDITURES OF THE PREVIOUS YEAR

| SOURCES OF REVENUE | Actual revenue previous year 1932 | Estimated revenue ensuing year 1933 | In- crease | De- crease |
|---|---|---|---------------|---------------|
| FROM STATE: | | | | |
| Interest and Dividends Tax | \$55.71 | \$55.71 | | |
| Railroad Tax | 247.66 | 247.66 | | |
| Savings Bank Tax | 65.38 | 65.38 | | |
| For Fighting Forest Fires | 110.50 | | | |
| Bounties | 5.00 | 10.80 | \$5.80 | \$110.50 |
| FROM LOCAL SOURCES EXCEPT TAXES: | | | | |
| Rent of Town Hall and other buildings | 55.00 | 65.00 | 10.00 | |
| Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits | 43.41 | 43.41 | | |
| Dog licenses | 176.38 | 176.38 | | |
| Rebate Blister appropriation | 2.13 | | | 2.13 |
| Fire Bill, B. & M. Railroad | 8.15 | | | 8.15 |
| Motor Vehicle Permit Fees | 252.91 | 252.91 | | |
| Tax Sales Redeemed | 45.91 | | | 45.91 |
| FROM LOCAL TAXES OTHER THAN PROPERTY TAXES: | | | | |
| (a) Poll Taxes | 180.00 | 180.00 | | |
| AMOUNT RAISED BY ISSUE OF BONDS OR NOTES: | | | | |
| Temporary Loans | 4,500.00 | 4,500.00 | | |
| TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES | \$5,748.14 | \$5,597.25 | | |
| AMOUNT RAISED BY PROPERTY TAXES | \$8,296.35 | \$7,783.71 | | \$512.64 |
| TOTAL REVENUES | \$14,044.49 | \$13,380.96 | \$15.80 | \$679.33 |

MASON, NEW HAMPSHIRE

FEBRUARY 1, 1933 TO FEBRUARY 1, 1934, COMPARED WITH ACTUAL REVENUE
FEBRUARY 1, 1932 TO FEBRUARY 1, 1933

| PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES | Actual expendi- tures previous year 1932 | Estimated expendi- tures ensuing year 1933 | In- crease | De- crease |
|---|---|---|---------------|---------------|
| CURRENT MAINTENANCE EX- PENSES: | | | | |
| GENERAL GOVERNMENT: | | | | |
| Town Officers' Salaries | \$755.07 | \$650.00 | | \$105.07 |
| Town Officers' Expenses | 295.17 | 295.17 | | |
| Election and Registration Expenses | 98.80 | 20.00 | | 78.80 |
| Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Buildings | 135.52 | 135.52 | | |
| PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY: | | | | |
| Police Department | 36.50 | 36.50 | | |
| Fire Department | 243.54 | | | 243.54 |
| Bounties | 10.80 | 10.80 | | |
| HEALTH: | | | | |
| Vital Statistics | 4.75 | 4.75 | | |
| HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES: | | | | |
| Winter Roads | 802.12 | 802.12 | | |
| Town Maintenance | 2,020.73 | 2,020.73 | | |
| Street Lighting | 125.40 | 125.40 | | |
| General Expense of Highway Depart- ment | 316.00 | 100.00 | | 216.00 |
| LIBRARIES: | | | | |
| Libraries | 100.00 | 100.00 | | |
| PUBLIC WELFARE: | | | | |
| Town Poor | 347.97 | 347.97 | | |
| Old Age Assistance | 311.42 | 540.00 | \$228.58 | |
| PATRIOTIC PURPOSES: | | | | |
| Memorial Day and Other Celebrations | 59.73 | 50.00 | | 9.73 |
| Aid to Soldiers and their families | 12.53 | 25.00 | 12.47 | |
| PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES: | | | | |
| Cemeteries | 150.00 | 75.00 | | 75.00 |
| Taxes bought by town | 144.58 | 144.58 | | |
| INTEREST: | | | | |
| On Temporary Loans | 101.19 | 101.19 | | |
| INDEBTEDNESS: | | | | |
| PAYMENT ON PRINCIPAL OF DEBT (d) Temporary Loans | 4,500.00 | 4,500.00 | | |
| PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERN- MENTAL DIVISIONS: | | | | |
| State Taxes | 602.00 | 602.00 | | |
| County Taxes | 694.23 | 694.23 | | |
| Payments to School Districts | 1,750.00 | 2,000.00 | 250.00 | |
| TOTAL EXPENDITURES | \$13,618.14 | \$13,380.96 | \$491.05 | \$728.23 |

VALUATION OF THE TOWN APRIL 1, 1932

| | |
|---|--------------|
| Land and buildings | \$279,225 00 |
| Electric equipment | 1,700 00 |
| 48 horses | 2,985 00 |
| 1 mule | 25 00 |
| 67 cows | 3,870 00 |
| 12 neat stock | 480 00 |
| 2485 fowls | 2,535 00 |
| 9 fur bearing animals | 450 00 |
| Wood and lumber | 1,535 00 |
| Stock in trade | 165 00 |
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| Total exclusive of soldiers' exemptions | \$292,970 00 |
| Soldiers' exemptions | \$7,700 00 |

TAXES AND RATES

| | |
|---|-------------|
| Tax rate per \$100 of valuation, \$3.00 | |
| Assessors' valuation, \$292,970 00 | |
| Appropriations | \$10,653 71 |
| Less: | |
| Interest and dividend tax | \$55 00 |
| Railroad tax | 296 83 |
| Savings Bank tax | 80 78 |
| Motor vehicle permit fees | 250 00 |
| State Aid maintenance | 900 00 |
| 141 polls | 282 00 |
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| | \$1,864 61 |
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| Total property tax | \$8,789 10 |
| Poll taxes | 282 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$9,071 10 |
| Added property tax | 38 25 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total taxes committed to Collector | \$9,109 35 |

APPROPRIATIONS

| | |
|-----------------------|-------------|
| Town charges | \$3,500 00 |
| State Aid maintenance | 900 00 |
| Town maintenance | 2,000 00 |
| Street lighting | 125 00 |
| Libraries | 70 00 |
| Memorial Day | 60 00 |
| Cemeteries | 50 00 |
| State tax | 602 00 |
| County tax | 694 23 |
| Schools | 2,400 00 |
| Overlay | 252 48 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$10,653 71 |

LIABILITIES

| | |
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| Due to School Districts: | |
| (a) Dog licenses | \$176 38 |
| (b) Balance of appropriation | 650 00 |
| Outstanding temporary loans in anticipation of taxes | 1,000 00 |
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| Total Liabilities | \$1,826 38 |
| Excess of assets over liabilities | \$369 35 |
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| Grand Total | \$2,195 73 |

ASSETS

| | |
|-------------------------------------|------------|
| Cash in hands of treasurer | \$764 88 |
| Taxes bought by town | 402 50 |
| Uncollected taxes: (a) Levy of 1932 | 1,028 35 |
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| Total Assets | \$2,195 73 |
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| Grand Total | \$2,195 73 |

Financial Report of the Town of Mason

RECEIPTS

Current Revenue

| | | |
|--|------------|------------|
| From Local Taxes: | | |
| Property taxes committed to collector, 1932 | \$8,827 35 | |
| Less discount and abatement, 1932 | 142 10 | |
| Less uncollected, 1932 | 1,028 35 | |
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| 1 Property taxes current year, actually collected | \$7,758 90 | |
| 2 Poll taxes, current year, actually collected, 90 at \$2.00 | 180 00 | |
| 3 Property and poll taxes, previous years actually collected | 537 45 | |
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| Total of above collections | | \$8,476 35 |
| Tax sales redeemed | | 45 91 |
| From State: | | |
| 5 For Highways and Bridges: | | |
| (a) For State Aid maintenance | \$136 54 | |
| (b) Unemployment relief construction | 1,402 12 | |
| (e) For Class V Highway maintenance | 2,406 54 | |
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| | | \$3,945 20 |
| 6 Interest and dividend tax | \$55 71 | |
| 8 Railroad tax | 247 66 | |
| 9 Savings bank tax | 65 38 | |
| 11 Fighting forest fires | 110 50 | |
| 12 Bounties | 5 00 | |
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| | | \$484 25 |
| From Local Sources, Except Taxes: | | |
| 15 Dog licenses | \$176 38 | |
| 18 Rent of town property | 55 00 | |
| 19 Interest received on taxes | 30 57 | |

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| 20 Interest received on deposits | 12 84 | |
| 25 Registration of motor vehicles, 1932 permits | 83 97 | |
| Registration of motor vehicles, 1933 permits | 168 94 | |
| | <hr/> | \$527 70 |
| Receipts Other Than Current Revenue: | | |
| 27 Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year | \$4,500 00 | |
| Rebate from State on White Pine | | |
| Blister appropriation | 2 13 | |
| Fire bill from B & M Railroad | 8 15 | |
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| Total receipts other than current revenue | | \$4,510 28 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Total Receipts from All Sources | | \$17,989 69 |
| Cash on hand February 1, 1932 | | \$284 72 |
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| Grand Total | | \$18,274 41 |

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses

General Government:

| | | |
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| 1 Town officers' salaries | \$755 07 | |
| 2 Town officers' expenses | 295 17 | |
| 3 Election and registration expenses | 98 80 | |
| 5 Expenses town hall and other town buildings | 135 52 | |
| | <hr/> | \$1,284 56 |

Protection of Persons and Property:

| | | |
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| 6 Police department, including care of tramps | \$36 50 | |
| 7 Fire department including forest fires | 243 54 | |
| 9 Bounties | 10 80 | |
| | <hr/> | \$290 84 |

Health:

| | | |
|---------------------|--|--------|
| 12 Vital statistics | | \$4 75 |
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| Highways and Bridges: | | |
| 14 State Aid maintenance | \$82 73 | |
| 15 Winter roads | 802 12 | |
| 16 Town maintenance | 4,427 27 | |
| 17 Street lighting and sprinkling | 125 40 | |
| 18 General expenses of highway department, including watering troughs | 316 09 | |
| | <hr/> | \$5,753 61 |
| Libraries: | | |
| 19 Libraries | | \$100 00 |
| Charities: | | |
| 20 Old age assistance | \$311 42 | |
| 21 Town poor | 347 97 | |
| | <hr/> | \$659 39 |
| Patriotic Purposes: | | |
| 23 Aid to G. A. R. Memorial Day exercises | \$59 73 | |
| 24 Aid to soldiers and their families | 12 53 | |
| | <hr/> | \$72 26 |
| Public Service Enterprises: | | |
| 28 Cemeteries, including hearse hire | | \$150 00 |
| Unclassified: | | |
| 30 Taxes bought by town | | \$144 58 |
| Interest: | | |
| 32 Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes | \$101 19 | |
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| Total Interest Payments | | \$101 19 |
| Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements: | | |
| 36 Highways and Bridges—Unemployment relief construction | \$1,402 12 | |
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| Total Outlay Payments | | \$1,402 12 |
| Indebtedness: | | |
| 44 Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes | \$4,500 00 | |
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| Total Indebtedness Payments | | \$4,500 00 |

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| Payments to Other Governmental Divisions: | |
| 50 Taxes paid to State | \$602 00 |
| 51 Taxes paid to County | 694 23 |
| 53 Payments to School Districts | 1,750 00 |
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| Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions | \$3,046 23 |
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| Total Payments for all Purposes | \$17,509 53 |
| Cash on hand, January 31, 1933 | \$764 88 |
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| Grand Total | \$18,274 41 |

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

| DESCRIPTION | VALUE |
|---|-------------|
| 1 Town hall, lands and buildings | \$3,500 00 |
| Furniture and equipment | 1,000 00 |
| 2 Libraries, furniture and equipment | 1,000 00 |
| 4 Fire Department, equipment | 100 00 |
| 5 Highway Department, lands and buildings | 300 00 |
| Equipment | 500 00 |
| 9 Schools, lands and buildings | 5,000 00 |
| Equipment | 1,000 00 |
| 10 All land and buildings acquired through Tax Collectors' deeds: | |
| Joe Bastion place, 20 acres | 100 00 |
| 11 All other Property and Equipment: | |
| Lucy J. Lawrence lot | 100 00 |
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| Total | \$12,600 00 |

Town Clerk's Report

| | | |
|------------------------------|---------|----------|
| Licensed Dogs: | | |
| Number of dogs licensed, 66 | | |
| Amount received for licenses | | \$192 00 |
| Dog tags | \$2 82 | |
| Town Clerk fees | 12 80 | |
| Paid town treasurer | 176 38 | |
| | | \$192 00 |
| Auto permits: | | |
| Auto permits, 1932 | \$83 97 | |
| Auto permits, 1933 | 168 94 | |
| | | \$252 91 |
| Paid town treasurer | | \$252 91 |

Respectfully submitted,
 EVERETT H. WHITAKER
Town Clerk

Tax Collector's Report

| | | |
|-----------------------------|------------|------------|
| 1931 Taxes: | | |
| Bill due town, Feb. 1, 1932 | \$552 65 | |
| Interest | 22 14 | |
| | | \$574 79 |
| Wm. Baxter, overtax abated | \$15 20 | |
| Paid town treasurer | 559 59 | |
| | | \$574 79 |
| 1932 Tax | \$9,071 10 | |
| Added | 38 25 | |
| Interest collected | 8 43 | |
| | | \$9,117 78 |
| Uncollected | \$1,028 35 | |
| Discount | 111 60 | |
| Overtax and abatement | 30 50 | |
| Paid town treasurer | 7,947 33 | |
| | | \$9,117 78 |

C. G. WHARFF
Collector

ABATEMENTS

1931 Tax After Settlement

| | | |
|------------------------------------|----------|---------|
| Grace Wright, overtax | | \$15 20 |
| | 1932 Tax | |
| Mary Rhodes, over 70 | \$2 00 | |
| Fred Boynton, over 70 | 2 00 | |
| Henry Erickson, paid in Ashby | 2 00 | |
| Mrs. Henry Erickson, paid in Ashby | 2 00 | |
| James Reddick, left town | 2 00 | |
| Estelle Reddick, left town | 2 00 | |
| Wm. Pelletier, soldier | 2 00 | |
| Grace Wright, overtax | 12 00 | |
| Chas. B. Webster, overtax | 4 50 | |
| | <hr/> | \$30 50 |

Town Treasurer's Report

| | | |
|---|----------|-------------|
| Balance on hand February 1, 1932 | | \$284 72 |
| Received from: | | |
| C. G. Wharff, 1931 taxes | \$559 59 | |
| C. G. Wharff, 1932 taxes | 7,947 33 | |
| Unemployment Relief fund | 1,402 12 | |
| State Aid maintenance | 136 54 | |
| State tax on interest and dividends | 55 71 | |
| Bounties from State | 5 00 | |
| Fire bill from State | 110 50 | |
| Fire bill from B. & M. R. R. | 8 15 | |
| Rebate from State on White Pine Blister | | |
| appropriation 1931 | 2 13 | |
| Railroad and Savings Bank tax | 313 04 | |
| Redemption on Ija place, part payment | 23 63 | |
| Townsend National Bank tax | 22 28 | |
| Local Sources Except Taxes: | | |
| Auto permits | 252 91 | |
| Dog licenses | 176 38 | |
| Rent of hall | 55 00 | |
| Interest | 12 84 | |
| Notes at Townsend National Bank | 4,500 00 | |
| | | |
| Total Receipts | | \$18,274 41 |
| Less Selectmen's orders | | \$17,509 53 |
| | | |
| Balance on hand | | \$764 88 |

Respectfully submitted,

EVERETT H. WHITAKER

Town Treasurer

Expenditures

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

After Settlement 1932

| | |
|-------------------------------|---------|
| Edgar S. Kennedy, selectman | \$24 50 |
| Albert C. Whitaker, selectman | 33 25 |
| Paul R. Berry, selectman | 26 25 |

1932

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|-------------------------------|----------|
| Albert C. Whitaker, selectman | \$108 55 |
| Stanley A. Flagg, selectman | 81 60 |
| Paul R. Berry, selectman | 73 15 |

Revaluing

| | |
|-------------------------------------|---------|
| Albert C. Whitaker, selectman | \$63 50 |
| Stanley A. Flagg, selectman | 52 92 |
| Paul R. Berry, selectman | 62 35 |
| Edward E. Smith, auditor | 5 00 |
| Conray G. Wharff, tax collector | 100 00 |
| Everett H. Whitaker, town clerk | 50 00 |
| Everett H. Whitaker, town treasurer | 50 00 |
| Everett H. Whitaker, auto permits | 24 00 |

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TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

| | |
|---|---------|
| Albert C. Whitaker, postage, tel., etc. | \$12 05 |
| Albert C. Whitaker, Keene tax meeting | 12 00 |
| Albert C. Whitaker, Peterborough road | 3 80 |
| Albert C. Whitaker, transportation | 14 00 |
| Albert C. Whitaker, expenses of special meeting | 9 60 |
| Albert C. Whitaker, Manchester assessors' meeting | 15 35 |

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|---|-------|
| Paul R. Berry, Keene tax meeting | 4 15 |
| Paul R. Berry, Peterborough road meeting | 4 20 |
| Paul R. Berry, transportation | 7 88 |
| Stanley A. Flagg, Keene tax meeting | 4 10 |
| Stanley A. Flagg, Peterborough road meeting | 3 80 |
| Stanley A. Flagg, mowing Common | 2 00 |
| Carl Valyou, Peterborough road meeting | 3 90 |
| Guy Washburn, Peterborough road meeting | 12 00 |
| Everett H. Whitaker, supplies & postage | 11 84 |
| Everett H. Whitaker, transportation | 5 00 |
| Granite State Press, town reports | 85 26 |
| Edson Eastman, supplies | 7 13 |
| Fred Cournoyer, officers' bonds | 35 00 |
| Natalie Merrill, real estate transfers | 2 20 |
| J. J. Haggerty, registering deed | 1 21 |
| Edward Wharff, mowing Common | 5 00 |
| Conray G. Wharff, Manchester assessors' meeting | 7 00 |
| Conray G. Wharff, postage and stationery | 9 70 |
| Alexander McLean, treasurer Boynton Fund | 5 00 |
| Albert B. Eaton, treasurer Stearns Bequest | 5 00 |
| Albert B. Eaton, deed | 1 00 |
| Albert C. Whitaker, transportation revaluing | 5 00 |
| S. A. W. Ball, assistance in revaluing | 1 00 |

\$295 17

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

| | |
|-------------------------------|---------|
| Charles L. Barnes, supervisor | \$15 00 |
| Harold C. Miller, supervisor | 13 30 |
| Samuel Davis, supervisor | 23 15 |
| Paul R. Berry, selectman | 6 40 |
| Stanley A. Flagg, selectman | 6 30 |
| Albert C. Whitaker, selectman | 6 30 |
| Carl Valyou, ballot clerk | 6 30 |

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|------------------------------------|-------|---------|
| Guy Washburn, ballot clerk | 6 30 | |
| Dwight Dimock, ballot clerk | 3 15 | |
| Charles Emerson, police | 3 15 | |
| Delmore P. Noble, election officer | 3 15 | |
| John T. Smith, moderator | 6 30 | |
| | <hr/> | \$98 80 |

TOWN HALL

| | | |
|--|---------|----------|
| Greenville Electric Lighting Co., lights | \$42 13 | |
| Carl Valyou, janitor | 50 04 | |
| Carl Valyou, supplies | 25 | |
| Fred Brown, wood | 8 00 | |
| Charles Emerson, repairs | 5 10 | |
| Harry Foster, cleaning vault | 2 00 | |
| Lillian Valyou, cleaning | 3 00 | |
| C. S. Bourgeois & Son, supplies | 5 00 | |
| Everett H. Whitaker, wood | 20 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$135 52 |

POLICE

| | | |
|----------------------------------|---------|---------|
| Stanley A. Flagg, constable 1931 | \$15 00 | |
| Stanley A. Flagg, constable 1932 | 20 00 | |
| Guy Washburn, police duty | 1 50 | |
| | <hr/> | \$36 50 |

FIRE

| | | |
|---------------------------------------|----------|----------|
| Charles L. Barnes, fire warden | \$229 14 | |
| Badger Fire Extinguisher Co., refills | 14 40 | |
| | <hr/> | \$243 54 |

BOUNTIES

| | |
|---------------------|---------|
| Everett H. Whitaker | \$10 80 |
|---------------------|---------|

VITAL STATISTICS

| | | |
|--------------------------------|--------|--------|
| Everett H. Whitaker, recording | \$4 00 | |
| Byron D. Pease, recording | 75 | |
| | <hr/> | \$4 75 |

STATE AID MAINTENANCE

| | | |
|------------------|---------|---------|
| Joseph Bernier | \$14 53 | |
| Stephen Boutwell | 68 20 | |
| | <hr/> | \$82 73 |

WINTER ROADS

| | | |
|---------------------|----------|----------|
| Guy F. Washburn | \$271 37 | |
| Harold C. Miller | 285 83 | |
| Carl Valyou | 103 22 | |
| Fred Brown | 120 71 | |
| Joseph Bernier | 14 53 | |
| Werner Illomaki | 3 50 | |
| Everett H. Whitaker | 2 96 | |
| | <hr/> | \$802 12 |

TOWN MAINTENANCE

| | | |
|------------------|------------|------------|
| Guy F. Washburn | \$1,477 08 | |
| Harold C. Miller | 1,469 42 | |
| Carl Valyou | 1,480 77 | |
| | <hr/> | \$4,427 27 |

STREET LIGHTING

| | |
|----------------------------------|----------|
| Greenville Electric Lighting Co. | \$125 40 |
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GENERAL EXPENSES HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

| | |
|---------------------------------------|--------|
| Albert C. Whitaker, posting roads | \$2 50 |
| A. E. Crocker, road hone and repairs | 44 50 |
| A. E. Crocker, scraper repairing | 64 15 |
| Good Roads Machine Co., scraper parts | 31 00 |

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| C. S. Bourgeois & Son, tools | 19 86 | |
| Harold Miller, work on scraper | 31 50 | |
| Geo. A. Vinton, work on scraper | 111 28 | |
| E. C. Fessenden, repairs | 2 05 | |
| Carl Valyou, painting scraper | 5 00 | |
| C. A. Cloutier, repairs | 4 25 | |
| | <hr/> | \$316 09 |

LIBRARIES

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|---|--|----------|
| Harriet E. Whitaker, treasurer, library trustees | | \$100 00 |
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OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

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| Frank B. Farwell | \$198 00 | |
| James Tarbell | 113 42 | |
| | <hr/> | \$311 42 |

TOWN POOR

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| Thomas Rhodes | \$81 48 | |
| Willis Creighton | 266 49 | |
| | <hr/> | \$347 97 |

MEMORIAL DAY

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| Henry J. LeClair Post | | \$59 73 |
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SOLDIERS' AID

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| William Pelletier | | \$12 53 |
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CEMETERIES

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| Cemetery Trustees, appropriation | \$50 00 | |
| Cemetery Trustees, Lucy J. Lawrence ap- propriation | 100 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$150 00 |

TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

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| Conray G. Wharff, tax collector | \$144 58 |
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INTEREST

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|--------------------------------------|----------|
| Townsend Nat'l Bank, temporary loans | \$101 19 |
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UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF CONSTRUCTION

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|---|----------|
| Fred Whitaker, foreman | \$158 00 |
| Fred Whitaker, expenses including gravel, dynamite, tools, cement and lumber | 122 88 |
| Harold Miller, truck | 109 00 |
| John Beck, team | 100 94 |
| Guy Washburn, truck | 180 00 |
| Orion Burgess, team | 12 00 |
| Loren Brown, truck | 54 00 |
| Everett Whitaker, team | 12 00 |
| Joseph Beck, labor | 61 94 |
| August Helsten, labor | 85 27 |
| Edward Niskala, labor | 52 50 |
| Oscar Leino, labor | 22 50 |
| Dwight Dimock, labor | 17 50 |
| Irving Spear, labor | 15 83 |
| Robert Rossley, labor | 4 44 |
| Wm. Everett, labor | 18 33 |
| Alonzo Everett, labor | 18 33 |
| Emerson Smith, labor | 23 33 |
| Wm. Butler, labor | 35 00 |
| James Bell, labor | 2 50 |
| Charles Emerson, labor | 2 50 |
| Walter Barnes, labor | 25 00 |
| John Smith, labor | 15 00 |
| Edward Bell, labor | 10 00 |
| John Hallisey, labor | 37 50 |
| Orvan Elliott, labor | 33 33 |
| Wm. Pelletier, labor | 17 50 |
| Edward Whitney, labor | 18 33 |
| Charles Tarbell, labor | 30 00 |
| Harry Foster, labor | 2 50 |

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| Frank Beck, labor | 35 00 | |
| Wm. Oja, labor | 23 89 | |
| Earl Marshall, labor | 23 89 | |
| Eino Wiik, labor | 21 39 | |
| | <hr/> | \$1,402 12 |

PAYMENTS ON TEMPORARY LOANS

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|------------------------|------------|
| Townsend National Bank | \$4,500 00 |
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STATE TAX

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| C. T. Patten, state treasurer | \$602 00 |
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COUNTY TAX

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| Alvin A. Lucier, county treasurer | \$694 23 |
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SCHOOL DISTRICT

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| Harriet E. Whitaker, district treasurer | \$1,750 00 |
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ROAD REPORT OF CARL V. VALYOU

April

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|---|---------|
| Carl Valyou, 6 das. at \$3.40 per day | \$20 40 |
| Stanley Flagg, ½ da. at \$3.15 per day | 1 58 |
| Fred Brown, team, 6½ das. at \$6.65 per day | 43 23 |
| Loren Brown, 1 da. at \$3.15 per day | 3 15 |
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| Total | \$68 36 |

May 1 to 7

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|-----------------------------------|---------|
| Charles Tarbell, 5 das. at \$3.15 | \$15 75 |
| A. M. Everett, 5 das. at \$3.15 | 15 75 |
| Carl Valyou, 6 das. at \$3.40 | 20 40 |
| E. Whitney, 4 das. at \$3.15 | 12 60 |

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|---|----------------|
| Fred Brown, truck, 5 das. 5½ hrs. at \$9.65 | 54 19 |
| Harold Miller, truck, 3 das. at \$9.65 | 28 95 |
| 83 loads gravel, at 10c | 8 30 |
| 19 loads stone, no charge | |
| Total | <hr/> \$155 94 |

May 9 to 16

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|---------------------------------------|----------------|
| O. Elliott, 5 das. at \$3.15 | \$15 75 |
| D. Dimock, 5 das. at \$3.15 | 15 75 |
| E. Whitney, 5 das. at \$3.15 | 15 75 |
| Stanley Flagg, 1 da. at \$3.15 | 3 15 |
| Carl Valyou, 6 das. at \$3.40 | 20 40 |
| Fred Brown, truck, 5 das. at \$9.65 | 48 25 |
| Kivimaki, stone charge | 15 00 |
| R. I. Harry, gravel, 27 loads at 10c. | 2 70 |
| Fred Brown, team, 1 da. at \$6.65 | 6 65 |
| Total | <hr/> \$143 40 |

May 21 to 30

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| Carl Valyou, 1 day | \$3 40 |
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June

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| Fred Brown, team, 1 da. at \$6.65 | \$6 65 |
| Loren Brown, 5½ hrs. at \$3.15 per day | 1 93 |
| Carl Valyou, 7 das. at \$3.40 | 23 80 |
| O. Elliott, 8 das. at \$3.15 | 25 20 |
| Wm. Butler, 8 das. at \$3.15 | 25 20 |
| Wm. Everett, 8 das. at \$3.15 | 25 20 |
| E. Whitney, 8 das. at \$3.15 | 25 20 |
| Total | <hr/> \$133 18 |

*July**July 1*

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|-----------------------------------|---------|
| O. Elliott, 8 hrs. at \$3.15 | \$2 80 |
| Wm. Butler, 8 hrs. at \$3.15 | 2 80 |
| E. Whitney, 8 hrs. at \$3.15 | 2 80 |
| E. Whitney, Jr., 8 hrs. at \$3.15 | 2 80 |
| Carl Valyou, 8 hrs. at \$3.40 | 3 02 |
| Total | \$14 22 |

July 5 to 15

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| E. Whitney, 3 das. 7 hrs., at \$3.15 per day | \$12 08 |
| E. Whitney, Jr., 1 day at \$3.15 | 3 15 |
| Joe Beck, 3 das. 7 hrs. at \$3.15 | 12 08 |
| Wm. Butler, 2 das. 3 hrs. at \$3.15 | 7 35 |
| Carl Valyou, 2½ das. at \$3.40 | 8 50 |
| Harold Miller, 1½ das., tractor at \$14.00 | 21 00 |
| John Beck, 1½ das. at \$3.15 | 4 73 |
| Walter Barnes, 2 hrs. at \$3.15 per day | 70 |
| Total | \$69 59 |

July 16 to 30

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|--|----------|
| Joe Beck, 10 das. at \$3.15 per day | \$31 50 |
| John Beck, 4 das. at \$3.15 | 12 60 |
| Frank Beck, 4 das. at \$3.15 | 12 60 |
| O. Elliott, 6 das. 7 hrs. at \$3.15 | 21 35 |
| E. Whitney, 3 das. at \$3.15 | 9 45 |
| Harold Miller, 3 das. tractor at \$14.00 | 42 00 |
| Harold Miller, 6½ das. truck at \$9.65 | 62 73 |
| Carl Valyou, 9½ das. at \$3.40 | 32 30 |
| Fred Brown, 6 das. truck at \$9.65 | 57 90 |
| Guy Washburn, 5 das. truck at \$9.65 | 48 25 |
| A. M. Everett, 6 das. at \$3.15 | 18 90 |
| Wm. Osgood, 6 das. at \$3.15 | 18 90 |
| R. I. Harry, 163 gravel at 10c | 16 30 |
| Total | \$384 78 |

*August**Aug. 1 to 4*

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| Charles Tarbell, 3½ das. at \$3.15 | \$11 03 |
| A. M. Everett, 3½ das. at \$3.15 | 11 03 |
| O. Elliott, 3½ das. at \$3.15 | 11 03 |
| Carl Valyou, 3½ das. at \$3.40 | 11 90 |
| Fred Brown, truck 3½ das. at \$9.65 | 33 78 |
| Harold Miller, 2 das. truck at \$9.65 | 19 30 |
| Gravel, R. I. Harry, 60 loads at 10c. | 6 00 |
| Gravel, Mrs. James Wilson, 7 loads at 10c. | 70 |
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| Total | \$104 77 |

Aug. 20 to 30

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|---------------------------------------|---------|
| O. Elliott, 4 das. at \$3.15 | \$12 60 |
| D. Dimock, 1 da. at \$3.15 | 3 15 |
| E. Whitney, 1 da. at \$3.15 | 3 15 |
| Harold Miller, 2 das. truck at \$9.65 | 19 30 |
| Carl Valyou, 4 das. at \$3.40 | 13 60 |
| Wm. Osgood, 2 das. at \$3.15 | 6 30 |
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| Total | \$58 10 |

Aug. 20 to 30

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|---|---------|
| Wm. O. Mason, blasting: | |
| Aug. 20 Drilling and blasting, 9 hrs. at \$3.00 per hr. | \$27 00 |
| Aug. 22 Drilling and blasting, 9 hrs. at \$3.00 per hr. | 27 00 |
| 78 lbs. of dynamite, at 30c. | 23 40 |
| 28 drills, at 30c. | 8 40 |
| 145 electric caps., at 7c. | 10 15 |
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| Total | \$95 95 |

*September**Sept. 22 to 30*

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| Charles Tarbell, 3 das. at \$3.15 | \$9 45 |
| O. Elliott, 6 das. at \$3.15 | 18 90 |
| E. Whitney, 6 das. at \$3.15 | 18 90 |
| D. Dimock, 3 das. at \$3.15 | 9 45 |
| Harold Miller, 3 das. truck at \$9.65 | 28 95 |
| Fred Brown, 2 das. truck at \$9.65 | 19 30 |
| Carl Valyou, 6 das. 3 hrs. at \$3.40 per day | 21 54 |
| Stanley Flagg, 3 hrs. at \$3.15 per day | 1 05 |
| R. I. Harry, 23 loads gravel at 10c. | 2 30 |
| Total | <hr/> \$129 84 |

October

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| 1 metal culvert | \$24 57 |
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*November**Nov. 1 to 15*

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|---|---------------|
| E. Whitney, 2 das. at \$3.15 per day | \$6 30 |
| John Butler, 2 das. at \$3.15 | 6 30 |
| Carl Valyou, 2 das. at \$3.40 | 6 80 |
| Fred Brown, 6 hrs. truck at \$9.65 per day | 6 48 |
| Fred Brown, 2½ hrs. at \$6.65 per day | 1 85 |
| Guy Washburn, ½ da. truck at \$9.65 per day | 4 83 |
| Fred Brown, 2 hrs. at \$3.15 per day | 70 |
| R. I. Harry, 15 loads gravel at 10c. | 1 50 |
| 2 loads stone, no charge | |
| Total | <hr/> \$34 76 |

Nov. 16 to 30

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|---------------------------------------|--------|
| E. Whitney, 2½ das. at \$3.15 per day | \$7 88 |
| John Butler, 1½ das. at \$3.15 | 4 73 |
| Carl Valyou, 2½ das. at \$3.40 | 8 50 |

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| D. Dimock, 1 day at \$3.15 | 3 15 |
| T. Eaton, 7 hrs. at \$3.15 per day | 2 45 |
| Total | <hr/> \$26 71 |

*December**Dec. 1 to 15*

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|--------------------------------------|---------------|
| Guy Washburn, 1 day truck at \$9.65 | \$9 65 |
| Fred Brown, 1 day truck at \$9.65 | 9 65 |
| Walter Barnes, 1 day at \$3.15 | 3 15 |
| E. Whitney, 1 day at \$3.15 | 3 15 |
| Carl Valyou, 1½ days at \$3.40 | 5 10 |
| R. I. Harry, 25 loads gravel at 10c. | 2 50 |
| Total | <hr/> \$33 20 |
| Total for year | \$1,480 77 |

SCHEDULE OF WAGES PAID ON ROAD WORK

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|------------------------------|-----------------|
| Per day, Surveyor \$3.40 | Laborer, \$3.15 |
| Truck without driver, \$6.50 | Teams, \$3.50 |

April

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|---|----------|
| Guy F. Washburn, truck and driver, 14 days | \$138 60 |
| Guy F. Washburn, team, 3 hrs. | 2 22 |
| Guy F. Washburn, horses, 7 hrs. | 2 73 |
| Joseph Beck, 4 das. 1½ hrs. | 13 13 |
| Porter Washburn, 14 days | 44 10 |
| Emerson Smith, 12 das. | 37 80 |
| Harry Spear, 3 days | 9 45 |
| Walter Barnes, 4 das. | 12 60 |
| Harold Miller, truck and driver, 3 days 4½ hrs. | 33 78 |
| Fred Chouinard, 69 loads gravel at 10c. | 6 90 |
| Carl Valyou, 4 hrs. | 1 40 |
| James Bell, 9 days | 28 35 |
| August Helsten, 9 days | 28 35 |
| Werner Illomaki, 3 das. 4 hrs. | 22 91 |

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| John Wiik, 5 das. 4 hrs. | 17 15 |
| Charles Whittier, 2 das. | 6 30 |
| John Wiik, repairing Churchill road | 6 00 |
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| Total | \$411 77 |

May

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|---|----------|
| Guy F. Washburn, truck and driver, 5 days | \$49 50 |
| Porter Washburn, 5 days | 15 75 |
| James Bell, 5 days | 15 75 |
| August Helsten, 5 days | 15 75 |
| John Wiik, 5 das. | 15 75 |
| Harry Spear, 4 das. 4 hrs. | 14 00 |
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| Total | \$126 50 |

June

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| Guy F. Washburn, truck and driver, 15 das. 5½ hrs. | \$154 55 |
| Porter Washburn, 15 das. 5½ hrs. | 49 18 |
| August Helsten, 15 das. 1 hr. | 47 60 |
| Charles Whittier, 13 das. 4 hrs. | 42 35 |
| Eino Wiik, 9 das. 5 hrs. | 30 10 |
| Edward Niskala, 13 das. 1 hr. | 41 30 |
| Harold Miller, truck 1 da. 8 hrs. | 12 28 |
| John Smith, 1 da. 8 hrs. | 5 95 |
| Charles Tarbell, 1 da. 8 hrs. | 5 95 |
| John Kivimaki, dynamite and caps | 2 80 |
| Repairing scraper | 12 75 |
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| Total | \$404 81 |

August

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|--|---------|
| Guy F. Washburn, truck and driver, 3 das. 6 hrs. | \$36 30 |
| Guy F. Washburn, truck, 8 das. 5 hrs. | 55 61 |
| Porter Washburn, 13 das. 7 hrs. | 43 40 |
| Joseph Beck, 18 das. 3 hrs. | 57 75 |
| Edward Niskala, 14 das. | 44 10 |
| August Helsten, 15 das. | 47 25 |

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| James Bell, 10 das. 5 hrs. | 33 25 |
| Guy F. Washburn, 3 das. 4½ hrs. | 11 90 |
| Total | <hr/> \$329 56 |

September

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|---|----------------|
| Guy F. Washburn, truck and driver, 6 das. 1 hr. | \$60 50 |
| Porter Washburn, 6 das. 3 hrs. | 19 95 |
| Joseph Beck, 2 das. 2 hrs. | 10 15 |
| Arthur Blanchard, 56 loads gravel at 10c. | 5 60 |
| Nelson Graves, 56 loads gravel at 10c. | 5 60 |
| Gertrude Wilson, 48 loads gravel at 10c. | 4 80 |
| Fred Chouinard, 80 loads gravel at 10c. | 8 00 |
| Guy F. Washburn, 4 posts at 25c. each | 1 00 |
| Total | <hr/> \$115 60 |

October

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|---|---------------|
| Guy F. Washburn, truck and driver, 4 das. ½ hr. | \$40 15 |
| Porter Washburn, 4 das. ½ hr. | 12 78 |
| Joseph Beck, 1 da. 7½ hrs. | 5 78 |
| Everett Whitaker, team, 2 hrs. | 1 48 |
| Edward Whitney, 9 loads gravel at 10c. | 90 |
| Total | <hr/> \$61 09 |

November

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| Guy F. Washburn, truck and driver, 1 day, 5 hrs. | \$15 40 |
| Harold Miller, truck and driver, 5 hrs. | 5 35 |
| Earl Marshall, 5 hrs. | 1 75 |
| Walter Barnes, 5 hrs. | 1 75 |
| Jack Hallisey, 5 hrs. | 1 75 |
| Porter Washburn, 5 hrs. | 1 75 |
| | <hr/> \$27 75 |
| Total for year | <hr/> \$1,477 08 |

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| Graveling, 500 loads or 750 yards | \$700 00 |
| Scraping | 280 00 |
| Blasting | 200 00 |
| Cutting brush | 135 00 |
| Honing and dragging | 150 00 |

ROAD REPORT OF HAROLD C. MILLER

April

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|--|---------|
| H. C. Miller, truck, 5 das. 5 hrs. at \$9.90 | \$55 00 |
| G. Washburn, truck, 4 das. 5 hrs. at \$9.65 | 38 60 |
| E. Smith, 4 das. at \$3.15 | 12 60 |
| J. Smith, 4 das. at \$3.15 | 12 60 |
| W. Barnes, 4½ das. at \$3.15 | 14 17 |
| H. Spear, 4 das. at \$3.15 | 12 60 |
| C. Tarbell, 4 das. 5 hrs. at \$3.15 | 14 35 |
| H. C. Miller, team, 6 das. at \$6.65 | 39 90 |
| D. Dimock, 6 days at \$3.15 | 18 90 |
| C. Barnes, 1 day at \$3.15 | 3 15 |
| J. Beck, ½ day at \$3.15 | 1 57 |

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| Total | \$223 44 |
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May

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|---|---------|
| H. Miller, truck, 8 das. 5 hrs. at \$9.90 | \$84 70 |
| W. Barnes, 8 das. 5 hrs. at \$3.15 | 26 85 |
| J. Hallisey, 8 das. 5 hrs. at \$3.15 | 26 85 |
| J. Smith, 8 das. 5 hrs. at \$3.15 | 26 85 |
| C. Tarbell, 14 das. 3½ hrs. at \$3.15 | 45 32 |
| D. Dimock, 13 das. at \$3.15 | 40 95 |
| W. Pelletier, 8 das. 7 hrs. at \$3.15 | 27 55 |
| E. Whitney, 4 hrs. at \$3.15 | 1 40 |
| J. Kivimaki, blasting | 1 50 |
| R. Harry, 10 loads gravel at 10c. | 1 00 |

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| Total | \$282 97 |
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June

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|--------------------------------------|---------|
| H. Miller, tractor, 1 day at \$14.00 | \$14 00 |
| J. Smith, 2 das. at \$3.15 | 6 30 |
| W. Barnes, 2 das. at \$3.15 | 6 30 |
| J. Hallisey, 2 das. at \$3.15 | 6 30 |
| C. Valyou, 2 das. at \$3.15 | 6 30 |
| R. Rossley, 2 das. at \$3.15 | 6 30 |
| D. Dimock, 3 das. 7 hrs. at \$3.15 | 11 90 |
| C. Tarbell, 3 das. 3 hrs. at \$3.15 | 10 50 |
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| Total | \$67 90 |

July

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|---------------------------------------|----------|
| H. Miller, tractor, 4 das. at \$14.00 | \$56 00 |
| J. Smith, 4 das. at \$3.15 | 12 60 |
| R. Rossley, 4 das. at \$3.15 | 12 60 |
| J. Beck, 4 das. at \$3.15 | 12 60 |
| J. Hallisey, 4 das. at \$3.15 | 12 60 |
| C. Valyou, 4 das. at \$3.15 | 12 60 |
| W. Pelletier, 2 das. at \$3.15 | 6 30 |
| J. Kivimaki, blasting | 2 00 |
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| Total | \$127 30 |

August

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|--------------------------------------|----------|
| H. Miller, truck, 13½ das. at \$9.90 | \$133 65 |
| G. Washburn, truck, 5 das. at \$9.65 | 48 25 |
| F. Brown, truck, 5 das. at \$9.65 | 48 25 |
| C. Tarbell, 8 das. at \$3.15 | 25 20 |
| W. Barnes, 7 das. 4 hrs. at \$3.15 | 23 45 |
| C. Emerson, 5 das. at \$3.15 | 15 75 |
| I. Spear, 10 das. at \$3.15 | 31 50 |
| J. Hallisey, 8½ das. at \$3.15 | 26 78 |
| J. Beck, 8 das. at \$3.15 | 25 20 |
| O. Elliott, 3 das. at \$3.15 | 9 45 |
| J. Smith, 6 das. at \$3.15 | 19 90 |
| E. Whitney, 4 das. at \$3.15 | 12 60 |

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| D. Dimock, 5 das. at \$3.15 | 15 75 |
| W. O. Mason, blasting | 90 68 |
| Total | <hr/> \$526 41 |

September

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|---|----------------|
| H. Miller, truck, 6 das. 2 hrs. at \$9.90 | \$61 60 |
| G. Washburn, 1 day at \$9.65 | 9 65 |
| W. Barnes, 5 das. at \$3.15 | 15 75 |
| J. Hallisey, 6 das. 2 hrs. at \$3.15 | 19 60 |
| I. Spear, 6 das. 2 hrs. at \$3.15 | 19 60 |
| W. Pelletier, 5 das. 2 hrs. at \$3.15 | 16 45 |
| C. Valyou, 3 das. at \$3.15 | 9 45 |
| J. Smith, 3 das. 2 hrs. at \$3.15 | 10 15 |
| C. Barnes, 59 loads gravel at 10c. | 5 90 |
| Total | <hr/> \$165 00 |

November

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|------------------------------------|---------------|
| H. Miller, truck, 3 das. at \$9.90 | \$29 70 |
| D. Dimock, 3 das. at \$3.15 | 9 45 |
| P. Washburn, 3 das. at \$3.15 | 9 45 |
| W. Pelletier, 3 das. at \$3.15 | 9 45 |
| Total | <hr/> \$58 05 |

December

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|-----------------------------------|---------------|
| H. Miller, truck, 1 da. at \$9.90 | \$9 90 |
| H. Spear, 1 day at \$3.15 | 3 15 |
| J. Hallisey, 1 day at \$3.15 | 3 15 |
| J. Smith, 1 day at \$3.15 | 3 15 |
| Total | <hr/> \$19 35 |
| Total for year | \$1,469 42 |

REPORT OF TREASURER OF CEMETERY

TRUSTEES

| | | |
|---------------------------------|---------|---------|
| Balance on hand Feb. 1, 1932 | \$4 00 | |
| Town appropriation | 50 00 | |
| | <hr/> | |
| Total income | | \$54 00 |
| Paid for Care of Cemeteries: | | |
| Alfred Elliott, labor | \$17 40 | |
| Alfred Elliott, trucking | 1 00 | |
| Vern Elliott, labor | 8 57 | |
| Chas. Tarbell, labor | 14 00 | |
| E. H. Whitaker, mowing cemetery | 4 00 | |
| Edward Wharff, labor | 2 27 | |
| C. G. Wharff, labor | 4 40 | |
| Wm. Butler, labor | 2 00 | |
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| Total payments | | \$53 64 |
| Balance on hand Jan. 31, 1933 | | 36 |
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| | | \$54 00 |

PERPETUAL CARE FUND

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| Income received: | | |
| Atlantic Ice Co., interest | \$60 00 | |
| Mason Village Savings Bank, interest | 23 67 | |
| Lucy J. Lawrence appropriation | 100 00 | |
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| | | \$183 67 |
| Payments: | | |
| Mason Village Savings Bank, Lawrence appropriation | \$100 00 | |
| Guy Washburn, labor | 1 00 | |
| Mr. Chesboro, 4 wreaths | 2 00 | |
| Alfred Elliott, labor | 1 05 | |

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| C. G. Wharff, labor | 1 05 | |
| C. G. Wharff, care of lots | 30 00 | |
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| Total payments | | \$135 10 |
| Unexpended income Jan. 31, 1933 | | \$48 57 |
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| | | \$183 67 |

PERPETUAL CARE FUNDS

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|------------------|----------|------------|
| Dunster | \$100 00 | |
| Veron Eaton | 100 00 | |
| William Adams | 100 00 | |
| Rhoda Barrett | 200 00 | |
| James Marsh | 50 00 | |
| Ai Richards | 50 00 | |
| Joseph A. Morse | 200 00 | |
| William Campbell | 200 00 | |
| Amos Flagg | 100 00 | |
| Ebenezer Hill | 100 00 | |
| George Crowe | 100 00 | |
| Lucy J. Lawrence | 100 00 | |
| Joseph Mitchell | 100 00 | |
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| Total | | \$1,500 00 |

Invested as follows:

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| Atlantic Ice Mfg. Co. | \$1,000 00 | |
| Mason Village Savings Bank | 643 46 | |
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| | | \$1,643 46 |

C. G. WHARFF

Treasurer

C. G. WHARFF

G. F. WASHBURN

A. L. ELLIOTT

Trustees

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE STEARNS COMMON SCHOOL BEQUEST

INCOME RECEIVED

| | | |
|--|----------|----------|
| Interest N. E. Power Association | \$275 00 | |
| Interest Republic Service Corporation | 250 00 | |
| Interest Oklahoma Gas Bond | 6 00 | |
| Interest U. S. 4th Liberty Bond | 4 25 | |
| Interest on mortgage on land in Greenville | 19 50 | |
| | <hr/> | \$554 75 |
| Paid District Treasurer | | \$554 75 |

The Bequest is invested as follows:

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| U. S. Liberty Bond | \$100 00 | |
| Oklahoma Gas Bond | 100 00 | |
| New England Power Association | 5,000 00 | |
| Republic Service Corporation | 5,000 00 | |
| Mortgage on land in Greenville | 325 00 | |
| Mason Village Savings Bank | 866 32 | |
| | <hr/> | \$11,391 32 |

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT B. EATON

Treasurer

ALBERT B. EATON

JOHN T. SMITH

CHARLES L. BARNES

Trustees

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE
BOYNTON COMMON SCHOOL FUND

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|------------------------------------|--------------|
| Interest Received: | |
| U. S. Liberty Bond | \$42 50 |
| Republic Service Corporation Bonds | 225 00 |
| Nashua Trust Company Savings Bank | 115 54 |
| Citizens Savings Bank, Nashua | 46 67 |
| Mason Village Savings Bank | 53 55 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$483 26 |
| Paid District Treasurer | \$483 26 |

The Fund is invested as follows:

| | |
|------------------------------------|-------------|
| U. S. Bonds | \$1,000 00 |
| Republic Service Corporation Bonds | 4,500 00 |
| Nashua Trust Company Savings Bank | 1,951 14 |
| Citizens Savings Bank, Nashua | 1,234 53 |
| Mason Village Savings Bank | 2,705 45 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$11,391 12 |

Respectfully submitted,
ALEXANDER McLEAN
Treasurer

GEORGE C. GERMER
EVERETT H. WHITAKER
CONRAY G. WHARFF
MYRTIE B. ADAMS
ALEXANDER McLEAN
Trustees

AUDITOR'S REPORT

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Trustees of Trust Funds, and the Tax Collector and find them correctly cast and well vouched.

DWIGHT L. DIMOCK
Auditor

REPORT OF TREASURER OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES

RECEIPTS

| | | |
|----------------------------------|--------|----------|
| Balance on hand February 1, 1932 | \$4 09 | |
| Refund from Library Book House | 19 | |
| Fines | 45 | |
| Town appropriation | 100 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$104 73 |

EXPENDITURES

| | | |
|----------------------------------|---------|--------------|
| Salary of librarian | \$50 00 | |
| Janitor service for 8 months | 6 67 | |
| Two door keys | 50 | |
| Stamps, writing pad, etc. | 68 | |
| Popular Mechanics | 2 50 | |
| Library Book House | 38 66 | |
| | <hr/> | \$99 01 |
| Balance on hand February 1, 1933 | | <hr/> \$5 72 |

Respectfully submitted,

HARRIET E. WHITAKER

Treasurer

MYRTIE B. ADAMS

ALICE S. BERRY

HARRIET E. WHITAKER

Trustees

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN

Thirty-nine books have been purchased for the library the past year. Thirteen books were given by Miss Frances Ayers, one by Paul Berry, and the History of Townsend was presented by Lucien Peters. A total of fifty-four books was added to the library.

1169 books were taken out during the year.

Total number of books now in library, 2283.

Three times during the year a box of books has been sent to the No. 6 school, so that the children two and a half miles from the village have had library privileges.

The library subscribed for Popular Mechanics and The American Magazine, while the Literary Digest, McCalls and The Pictorial Review have been donated monthly by friends.

DORIS M. FLAGG

Librarian

School District Officers

Moderator

ALEXANDER McLEAN

Clerk

MARY C. DREW

Treasurer

HARRIET E. WHITAKER

School Board

MYRTIE B. ADAMS

MARY C. DREW

WALLACE M. RHODES

Superintendent

VERNON S. AMES

Teachers for 1932-1933

| | |
|--------------|------------------------|
| Grammar Room | Helen M. Stone |
| Primary Room | Gladys C. Holt |
| Number Six | Marjorie W. Hutchinson |
| Music | Josephine McKinnon |

School Calendar

1932-1933

| | |
|--------------------------------------|----------|
| Winter term, January 2, to March 17, | 11 weeks |
| Spring term, April 3, to June 9 | 10 weeks |

1933-1934

| | |
|--|----------|
| Fall term, September 6, to November 21 | 11 weeks |
| November 27, to December 22, | 4 weeks |
| Winter term, January 1, to March 16 | 11 weeks |
| Spring term, April 2, to June 8 | 10 weeks |
| March vacation dates subject to change for weather conditions. | |

SCHOOL WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Mason qualified to vote in District Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town House in said District on the fourteenth day of March, 1933, at two o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.

Given under our hands at said Mason, this 28th day of February, 1933.

MYRTIE B. ADAMS
MARY C. DREW
WALLACE M. RHODES

School Board

Report of School Board

Fiscal Year July 1, 1931, to June 30, 1932

SALARIES OF DISTRICT OFFICERS

| | | |
|----------------------------|---------|----------|
| Myrtie B. Adams | \$25 00 | |
| Mary C. Drew | 25 00 | |
| Wallace M. Rhodes | 25 00 | |
| Paul R. Berry, treasurer | 25 00 | |
| Josephine V. Rand, auditor | 2 00 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$102 00 |

SUPERINTENDENT'S EXCESS SALARY

| | |
|--|----------|
| Mrs. Marian A. Buttrick, treasurer, Union District No. 63 | \$156 64 |
|--|----------|

School Census

| | |
|------------------------------|--------|
| Myrtie B. Adams, 1931 Census | \$5 00 |
|------------------------------|--------|

EXPENSES OF ADMINISTRATION

| | | |
|---|---------|----------|
| Fred A. Cournoyer, bond of school treas. | \$15 00 | |
| Edson C. Eastman, vouchers | 2 90 | |
| Paul Berry, stamps | 4 00 | |
| Marian S. Buttrick, treasurer, Union District No. 63, office expense | 55 28 | |
| Wallace M. Rhodes, tel., stamps, etc. | 2 50 | |
| Vernon S. Ames, telephone, stamps, etc. | 8 07 | |
| Myrtie B. Adams, telephone, stamps | 98 | |
| Albert B. Eaton, services, Stearns Fund | 5 00 | |
| Albert B. Eaton, box rent, Mason | 5 00 | |
| Alexander McLean, services Boynton Fund | 5 00 | |
| Alexander McLean, box rent, Mason | 6 00 | |
| Edson C. Eastman, printing vouchers warrant | 5 45 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$115 18 |

TEACHERS' SALARIES

| | | |
|---|------------|------------|
| Helen M. Stone, salary for 36 weeks | \$1,000 00 | |
| Marjorie W. Hutchinson, salary for 36 weeks | 950 00 | |
| Gladys C. Holt, salary for 36 weeks | 850 00 | |
| Anna G. Smith, salary for 36 weeks | 230 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$3,030 00 |

TEXT BOOKS

| | | |
|--------------------------|---------|---------|
| Edward E. Babb | \$25 71 | |
| Allyn & Bacon | 7 34 | |
| Scott Foresman Company | 1 36 | |
| Silver Burdett & Company | 2 50 | |
| Zaner & Bloser | 10 59 | |
| American Book Company | 14 68 | |
| John C. Winston Company | 1 43 | |
| Ginn & Company | 16 23 | |
| | <hr/> | \$79 84 |

SCHOLARS' SUPPLIES

| | | |
|-----------------------------|--------|----------|
| Lyons & Carnahan | \$9 52 | |
| Milton Bradley Company | 12 14 | |
| Wilbur D. Gilpatric | 5 83 | |
| The Papercrafters Company | 7 66 | |
| Edward E. Babb & Company | 26 57 | |
| Allyn & Bacon | 5 46 | |
| Scott Foresman Company | 8 40 | |
| J. L. Hammett Company | 23 85 | |
| Charles E. Merrill Company | 5 36 | |
| Iroquois Publishing Company | 10 59 | |
| Houghton Mifflin Company | 2 10 | |
| Hall & McCreary Company | 2 10 | |
| American Book Company | 1 85 | |
| World Book Company | 2 11 | |
| | <hr/> | \$123 54 |

FLAGS AND APPURTENANCES

| | |
|---------------------|--------|
| H. A. Wales Company | \$8 50 |
|---------------------|--------|

OTHER EXPENSES OF INSTRUCTION

| | | |
|-----------------------------|--------|---------|
| Row Peterson Company | \$4 65 | |
| J. L. Hammett Company | 8 31 | |
| Iroquois Publishing Company | 4 84 | |
| Civic Education Service | 10 50 | |
| American Education Press | 17 10 | |
| The National Geographic | 50 | |
| Edward E. Babb & Company | 3 86 | |
| Beckley Cardy Company | 2 13 | |
| A. H. Barbour | 1 05 | |
| | <hr/> | \$52 94 |

JANITOR SERVICE

| | | |
|----------------------|---------|----------|
| James W. Wharff | \$30 00 | |
| Est. of James Wharff | 20 00 | |
| Porter Washburn | 40 00 | |
| Mrs. Hannah Helstein | 47 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$137 00 |

FUEL

| | | |
|-----------------------|---------|----------|
| Grover Blanch, wood | \$90 00 | |
| August Helstein, wood | 68 00 | |
| John Robichaud | 2 50 | |
| John Beck | 80 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$240 50 |

(This fuel bill covers 1931-1932)

WATER AND JANITOR SUPPLIES

| | | |
|---------------------------|--------|---------|
| Masury Young Company | \$4 49 | |
| Dolge Company | 4 56 | |
| Cheshire Chemical Company | 2 12 | |
| Milton Bradley Company | 11 25 | |
| | <hr/> | \$22 42 |

MINOR REPAIRS AND EXPENSES

| | | |
|---|--------|---------|
| L. R. Willard, repairs | \$1 25 | |
| Jennie Chesborough, cleaning | 15 60 | |
| Alfred Elliott, sanitary work, Centre & Fitchburg trip | 7 00 | |
| August Helstein, sanitary work at No. 6 & cleaning | 5 00 | |
| J. L. Hammett, supplies | 1 68 | |
| Webber Lumber Company, screen door, No. 6 | 4 92 | |
| Charles Wright, No. 6 window screens and labor | 11 50 | |
| W. M. Rhodes, glass setting and repairs | 1 60 | |
| Arthur H. Woodman, picture molding | 2 80 | |
| Wilfred Nordeau, repairing parsonage pump | 4 00 | |
| Guy Washburn, loam and grading, cen- tre | 10 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$65 35 |

MEDICAL INSPECTION

| | | |
|---|-------|----------|
| James P. Melzer, nurse supplies | \$ 60 | |
| Wilton Nursing Association, 6 days and mileage | 51 76 | |
| Dr. B. D. Pease, medical inspection | 25 00 | |
| W. I. Durgin, medical supplies | 1 50 | |
| Wilton Nursing Association | 43 76 | |
| | <hr/> | \$122 62 |

TRANSPORTATION OF PUPILS

| | |
|--|----------|
| Alfred Elliott: | |
| 35 weeks at \$25 per week | \$875 00 |
| Extra help, mud time | 15 00 |
| Transportation No. 6, Memorial Day | 4 00 |
| Transportation, W. M. Rhodes, school business | 2 00 |
| Stanley Flagg: | |
| 34 2-5 weeks, \$15 per week | 516 00 |

| | | |
|--------------------------------|--------|------------|
| 3-5 week, \$18 per week | 10 80 | |
| Fred Brown: | | |
| 34 2-5 weeks, at \$11 per week | 378 40 | |
| Harry Spear: | | |
| Board 7 4-5 weeks, Jolly boy | 31 20 | |
| | <hr/> | \$1,832 40 |

HIGH SCHOOL AND ACADEMY TUITION

| | | |
|---------------|----------|------------|
| New Ipswich | \$360 00 | |
| Milford High | 55 55 | |
| Townsend High | 525 00 | |
| Ashby High | 75 00 | |
| Wilton High | 80 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$1,095 55 |

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TUITION

| | |
|------------------|---------|
| Brookline School | \$72 00 |
|------------------|---------|

NEW EQUIPMENT

| | |
|--------------------|---------|
| Clock No. 6 school | \$12 79 |
|--------------------|---------|

PER CAPITA TAX

| | |
|---|----------|
| Charles F. Patten, state treasurer | \$110 00 |
| Overdraft to Town of Mason to balance budget | \$222 84 |

SUMMARY OF SCHOOL EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR
ENDING JUNE 30, 1932

| | |
|--------------------------------|----------|
| Salaries of District Officers | \$102 00 |
| Superintendent's Excess Salary | 156 64 |
| School census | 5 00 |
| Expense of administration | 115 18 |
| Teachers' salaries | 3,030 00 |
| Text books | 79 84 |
| Scholars' supplies | 123 54 |
| Flags and appurtenances | 8 50 |

| | | |
|---------------------------------|----------|------------|
| Other expenses of instruction | 52 94 | |
| Janitor service | 137 00 | |
| Fuel | 240 50 | |
| Water and janitors' supplies | 22 42 | |
| Minor repairs and expenses | 65 35 | |
| Medical inspection | 122 62 | |
| Transportation of pupils | 1,832 40 | |
| High School and Academy tuition | 1,095 55 | |
| Elementary school tuition | 72 00 | |
| New equipment | 12 79 | |
| Per capita tax | 110 00 | |
| Balance town budget | 222 84 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$7,607 11 |

Respectfully submitted,
 MYRTIE B. ADAMS
 MARY C. DREW
 WALLACE M. RHODES
School Board

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that I have examined the books and other financial records of the School Board of Mason, of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1932, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

JOSEPHINE V. RAND
 July 12, 1932 *Auditor*

SUMMARY OF SCHOOL EXPENSES

From July 1, 1932, to January 31, 1933

| | |
|--------------------------------|---------|
| Salaries of District Officers | \$75 00 |
| Superintendent's excess salary | 156 64 |
| Expenses of administration | 79 97 |
| Census (school) | 5 00 |

| | | |
|-------------------------------------|----------|------------|
| Teachers' salaries | 1,525 00 | |
| Text books | 83 23 | |
| Scholars' supplies | 81 29 | |
| Other expenses of instruction | 30 88 | |
| Janitor service | 62 50 | |
| Fuel | 1 75 | |
| Water, light and janitors' supplies | 25 38 | |
| Minor repairs and expenses | 45 61 | |
| Medical inspection | 25 00 | |
| Transportation of Pupils | 979 20 | |
| High School and Academy tuition | 460 00 | |
| Per capita tax | 120 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$3,756 45 |

Report of School District Treasurer

SUMMARY

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1932

| | | |
|--|----------|------------|
| Cash on hand June 30, 1931 | \$240 61 | |
| Received from Selectmen: | | |
| Appropriations for current year | 3,000 00 | |
| Balance of previous appropriations | 44 76 | |
| Overdrawn on appropriation | 222 84 | |
| 1929 dog tax | 132 40 | |
| Income from Trust Funds | 1,311 62 | |
| Received from State Treasurer: | | |
| State or Federal aid | 3,352 40 | |
| Received from all other sources | 108 50 | |
| | <hr/> | \$8,172 52 |
| Total amount available for fiscal year | | |
| balance and receipts | | \$8,413 13 |
| Less school board orders paid | | \$7,607 11 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Balance on hand as of June 30, 1932, | | |
| treasurer's bank balance | | \$806 02 |

PAUL R. BERRY

July 12, 1932

District Treasurer

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the School District of Mason, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1932, and find them correct in all respects.

JOSEPHINE V. RAND

July 12, 1932

Auditor

Budget of School Board

1933-1934

Estimated expenditures for the school year beginning July 1, 1933, and ending June 30, 1934, and recommendations of sums to be assessed for the support of schools, including statutory requirements:

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES

| | | |
|--|------------|------------|
| Teachers' salaries, including music supervisor | \$2,900 00 | |
| Text books | 50 00 | |
| Scholars' supplies | 85 00 | |
| Flags and appurtenances | 10 00 | |
| Other expenses of instruction | 35 00 | |
| Janitor service | 135 00 | |
| Fuel | 115 00 | |
| Janitors' supplies | 40 00 | |
| Minor repairs and expenses | 50 00 | |
| Medical inspection and health | 50 00 | |
| Transportation of pupils | 1,650 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$5,120 00 |

ADDITIONAL SUMS RECOMMENDED TO BE RAISED BY TAXATION,

INCLUDING STATUTORY REQUIREMENTS

| | | |
|--------------------------------------|----------|------------------|
| For salaries of district officers | \$102 00 | |
| For superintendent's excess salary | 155 00 | |
| For truant officer and school census | 5 00 | |
| For expenses of administration | 100 00 | |
| For per capita tax (statutory) | 110 00 | |
| For high school tuitions (statutory) | 1,050 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$1,522 00 |
| Total of budget | | <hr/> \$6,642 00 |

ESTIMATED REVENUE

From sources other than taxation:

| | | |
|---------------------------------|------------|------------|
| State aid | \$3,079 55 | |
| Dog tax | 150 00 | |
| Elementary school tuitions | 54 00 | |
| Income from trust funds | 900 00 | |
| Estimated balance June 30, 1933 | 558 45 | |
| | <hr/> | \$4,742 00 |

Balance, sum recommended to be raised
by taxation (including \$5 tax re-
quired, \$1,566.96)

\$1,900 00

MYRTIE B. ADAMS
MARY C. DREW
WALLACE M. RHODES

School Board

Report of Superintendent of Schools

To the School Board and Citizens of Mason:

I respectfully submit my tenth annual report as follows:

SCHOOL ORGANIZATION

The teaching staff is the same as last year with the exception of the music supervisor. Miss Josephine McKinnon took the place of Miss Anna G. Smith in that field. Miss McKinnon is a graduate of the Keene Normal School and had been teaching in the Milford Union for two years.

SUPERVISION

In previous reports I have described the routine work of my office and have spoken frequently of the testing program. The work of the past year has followed similar lines and the results of the tests have been sent to the parents, as was done last year.

Improvement in teaching through the use of standard tests is well illustrated by the experience we have had in *oral reading*, systematic records of which have been kept since the fall of 1927. The test used consists of a series of five stories of uniform length and difficulty, appropriate to the grade in which they are used, standardized for the number of seconds it takes pupils to read them, and also for the number of errors made. These five tests are given at equal intervals during the school year, spaced so that the final test comes the latter part of May. The tests are given to pupils individually by their own teacher, who thus has the results immediately available to guide her in adjusting her teaching to the difficulties of each pupil.

The following summary of results is for the Supervisory District as a whole, with from seventy to ninety children in each grade.

First Grade: Median number of seconds required in May, 1928, 70; in May, 1932, 50; standard score, 78.

Median number of errors made in May, 1928, 9; in May, 1932, 3; standard score, 5.

Second Grade: Median number of seconds in May, 1928, 130; in May, 1932, 90; standard score, 112.

Median number of errors in May, 1928, 10; in May, 1932, 4; standard score, 6.

Third Grade: Median number of seconds in May, 1928, 87; in May, 1932, 57; standard score, 63.

Median number of errors in May, 1928, $4\frac{1}{2}$; in May, 1932, $2\frac{1}{2}$; standard score, 3.

MEDICAL INSPECTION

The annual medical inspection was made by Dr. Pease and Mrs. Gilbert in September. Mrs. Gilbert has made a detailed report to the School Board, a summary of which is as follows:

| | |
|---------------------------------|----|
| Number of pupils examined | 45 |
| Teachers | 3 |
| Defects found: | |
| Teachers | 0 |
| Children: | |
| Defective teeth | 25 |
| Corrected | 3 |
| Enlarged tonsils | 8 |
| (Only one requiring correction) | |
| Thyroid | 1 |
| Unvaccinated | 1 |
| (Three attempts unsuccessful) | |
| Defective vision | 2 |
| Corrected | 2 |

There is very little follow-up work required this year and whatever there is to be done will be taken care of in the Spring.

BUDGET

The estimated expenditure for state aid items in the budget for 1933-1934 is \$530 less than the estimate for last year; \$350 of this represents a reduction in the cost of transportation; \$25, reduction in the cost of medical inspection and health; \$15, fuel; \$15, scholars' supplies; \$25, text books; and \$100, in teachers' salaries. The last named is a reduction of \$150 from the actual salaries paid this year. This is in line with reductions in teachers' salaries throughout the state. There is also a reduction in the estimated cost for high school tuition from \$1215 to \$1050.

There will be a reduction of nearly \$200 in state aid due to lower costs this year than last year. The estimated balance for next

June is between \$500 and \$600, which is entered in the budget as \$558.45, in order to make a round figure of \$1900, recommended to be raised by taxation.

SCHOOL ECONOMY

The Budget as presented and explained in the paragraph above represents a very thorough study on the part of the School Board and myself in an effort to discover all possible ways of economizing in the cost of maintaining schools without seriously injuring their efficiency. We believe that local as well as national efforts at economy must heed the warning voiced by President Hoover at the National Conference: "However the national economy may vary, or whatever fiscal adjustments may be made, the very first obligation upon the national resources is the undiminished financial support of the public schools. We cannot afford to lose any ground in education. That is neither economy nor good judgment."

In closing this, my tenth year of service in this Supervisory Union, I wish to express my belief that our schools have made progress and to acknowledge the interest and cooperation of the parents and citizens generally, as well as of the School Board and teachers, which has made possible whatever advancement there has been. I trust that these conditions will continue to prevail and that the standards may be maintained in spite of the effects of economic conditions.

Respectfully submitted,

VERNON S. AMES

Superintendent of Schools

Wilton, N. H., February 13, 1933.

STATISTICS FOR SCHOOL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1932

Census:

| | | | | | |
|-----------------|----|-------|----|-------|----|
| No. Boys (5-16) | 40 | Girls | 22 | Total | 62 |
|-----------------|----|-------|----|-------|----|

Attending School in Mason:

| | | | | | |
|------|----|-------|----|-------|----|
| Boys | 30 | Girls | 20 | Total | 50 |
|------|----|-------|----|-------|----|

Elsewhere:

| | | | | | |
|------|---|-------|---|-------|---|
| Boys | 7 | Girls | 2 | Total | 9 |
|------|---|-------|---|-------|---|

Attendance:

| SCHOOL | Average Member- ship | Average Attend- ance | Per cent of Attend- ance | Total Tardi- nesses |
|------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Primary | 15.79 | 14.85 | 94.05 | 4 |
| Grammar | 15.80 | 15.35 | 97.15 | 0 |
| Number Six | 16.70 | 16.12 | 96.53 | 17 |
| | | | | 21 |

ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE

Three Terms

John Hallisey Richard Spear James R. Bell

Two Terms

Arthur Oikelmus Florence Beck Marion Elliott Fannie Niemi

One Term

| | |
|---------------------|-----------------|
| Ellsworth Brown | Clara Creighton |
| Priscilla Creighton | Gordon Rossley |
| Frances Elliott | Harold Elliott |
| Shirley Whitney | Alfred Elliott |
| Robert Winter | Edward Whitney |
| Woodrow Whitney | Lula Wright |
| James R. Bell | Irene Turpeinen |
| Raymond Bell | Oliver Ilomaki |
| William Lumppio | Veikko Niskala |
| Waino Niskala | Toivo Wiik |

VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTHS

Registered in the Town of Mason Year Ending
December 31, 1932

| Date 1932 | Name of Child | Name of Father | Maiden Name of Mother |
|--------------|---------------|-------------------|------------------------|
| April 27 | Roy Henry; | George W. Butler; | Gertrude C. McDermont. |
| Sept. 15 | —————; | Peter H. Wilson; | Irma Appel. |

MARRIAGES

Registered in the Town of Mason Year Ending
December 31, 1932

| Date 1932 | Names of Parties | Name of Person Performing Ceremony |
|--------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Oct. 21 | Albert Cate and Margaret Deshan, | by Albert B. Eaton, Justice of Peace. |

DEATHS

| Date 1932 | Name | Age |
|--------------|--------------------|------------------------------|
| Feb. 7 | James W. Wharff, | 80 years, 3 months; 3 days. |
| March 8 | Edgar S. Kennedy, | 76 years. |
| Aug. 26 | Bertha Sneck, | 12 years, 2 months, 22 days. |
| Aug. 26 | Reino Sneck, | 9 years, 5 months, 3 days. |
| Nov. 2 | May Agnes Stone, | 43 years, 11 months. |
| Nov. 9 | Kalli Kainu, | 30 years. |
| Nov. 27 | Georgiana Sherman, | 83 years, 7 months, 22 days. |
| Dec. 15 | Mattie Sneck, | 51 years. |
| Dec. 15 | Alma S. Elliott, | 77 years, 3 months, 1 day. |

